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Tatsuya Masuki et al.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the non-final Office Action dated December 4, 2006 (the "Office Action"), please amend the application and consider the remarks that follow. A request for an extension of time is also being submitted herewith; this response is therefore believed to be timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.